

Ordered, That two hundred copies of the Journal of the Votes and Proceedings of this House in the present session be printed—and that the Attorney General, Mr. William Pagan, and Mr. Simonds be a committee to contract for, and superintend the printing of the same.

Order for printing the Journal of the House.

On motion Ordered, That the Petition to HIS MAJESTY representing the state of the province be transmitted by the Speaker, during the recess, to William Knox, Esquire, Agent of the Province requesting him to present the same to HIS MAJESTY and in case he should decline to present the same, to deliver the Petition to Robert Shedden, Esquire, who is authorized in that case to present the same.

Order on the Petition to His Majesty.

A message from HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant Governor requiring the attendance of this House in the Council Chamber.

Message from His Excellency.

The House attended accordingly—when HIS EXCELLENCY was pleased to give his assent to the following bills, to wit :

An Act to continue an Act intituled “ *An Act for the more easy and speedy Recovery of Small Debts.*”

Assent given to sundry Bills.

An Act to alter and amend an Act passed in the twenty sixth Year of HIS MAJESTY’S Reign intituled “ *An Act for preventing Trespasses.*”

An Act to authorize the Erection of Fences and Gates across certain Roads in the several Counties in this Province where the same shall be found necessary.

An Act to regulate the Exportation of Fish and Lumber; and for repealing the ~~law~~ now in force regulating the Same.

An Act to prevent the Growth of Thistles.—And

An Act to alter and amend an Act intituled “ *An Act for regulating, laying out and repairing Highways and Roads, and for appointing Commissioners and Surveyors of Highways within the several Townships and Parishes in this Province; and for suspending for a limited time all the Laws now in force relating to the Same.*”

After which HIS EXCELLENCY was pleased to make the following speech to the Houses, viz.